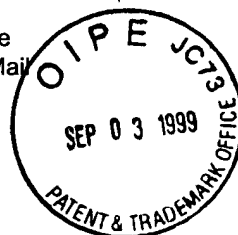


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In re Application of: Goldwasser et al.

Serial No.: 08/847,967

Filed: 4/22/97

For: The Combinatorial Synthesis of Novel Materials

Group Art Unit: 1618

Examiner: Achutamurthy, P.

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of time of 2 months to respond to the Office Action mailed on March 31, 1999. With this extension, the time for response is extended from June 30, 1999 to August 31, 1999.

2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith.

3. Applicant is a small entity. A statement was already filed.

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4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(5)):

Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 380.00	\$ 190.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 870.00	\$ 435.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,360.00	\$ 680.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$1,850.00	\$ 925.00
		Fee \$ 190.00

7. Extension fee due with this request: \$ 190.00

5. Fee Payment:

Please charge fee to Account No. 50-0496. This is also a request to charge for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

A duplicate copy of this petition is attached.

Date:

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Respectfully submitted,



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